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Wallis Given Two Year Prison Term Over Mercy Pleas

Local Citizens As Character Witnesses Asked For Leniency

"I cannot trace a prison sentence for restitution," stated Judge E. G. Newell of the Criminal Court Tuesday when he sentenced Alva Lafayette Wallis, former city clerk here, to two years in the state prison. The verdict was passed following a parade of local character witnesses who testified that leniency be extended to Wallis.

With the sentencing, the case has finally come to a close which has been in the local courts since October 19, 1948, when Wallis' embezzlement of \$13,645.98 from city funds was discovered. In the past numerous propositions were offered the city commission for restitution by Wallis' attorney, E. M. Baynes.

Maintaining that justice be weighed with circumstances, the witnesses stated that Wallis has a good wife and son and that work done by the family in civic and church work should outweigh consequences of the crime. They testified that he had offered his home worth \$9,750 for restitution and that he co-operated with officials investigating money matters.

Baynes also had presented a petition of 500 Belle Glade signers asking for suspended sentence or probation. Wallis stated that \$10,000 had already been repaid the city in a civil suit brought against him.

Judge Newell, answering the witnesses, stated, "I am duty bound and honor bound to dispose of all cases fairly and justly, no matter how many people are in—regardless of whether a man's white, black or yellow."

"I find no mitigating circumstances except sympathy. This money was not taken at the time when he was hard pressed, but it was taken over a period of years. His confession came after the loss was discovered."

Judge Newell added, however, that because of Wallis and his family, he made his punishment less than the offense would warrant.

Witnesses were called from George Farnall; R. L. Braddock, cattleman; Luther Jones, newspaper publisher; E. Newell, George Todde; J. W. Ralph Freeman; Joe Cherry; J. H. Chambliss; N. N. Stirling; Loui Betzner; C. M. McDonald; Pete Seaman and others.

Large Number Attend Elks Dance Saturday Night

Initiation Of Three Monday

A new class of candidates was initiated at the regular Elks Club meeting Monday night. The Pahoehoe ritualistic team which won the district contest recently, was in charge of the ceremonies.

Candidates initiated were: Herman L. Cline, J. R. "Prof" Davidson and Ben Veal.

About 60 members and 15 visitors attended the meeting. Mrs. James L. Gay and Mrs. Harold Robin won first and second door prizes at the Elks dance here last Saturday night. Between 70 and 80 couples attended the dance and buffet supper.

After the first of the new fiscal year, contracts will be let for construction of the north-half mile stretch of L-8 extending north from the West Palm Beach Canal and diagonally northward to the L-8 starting at Lake Okechobee and extending eastward.

The entire L-8 project of 14 miles will be constructed at an estimated cost of \$2,262,000. Bidding on the canal and levee was postponed March 22 due to uncertainty of the course at the northern end.

Belle Glade is unique in having its own construction facilities and personnel. Most cities must contract a more expensive procedure. The city commission is working for working out the present plan.

Evidence points to the efficiency and economy of the program.

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Produce Shipment Begins Season Dip

After the unusual produce shipment peak last week in spite of the lateness of the season, both railroad and truck shipping began the seasonal decline this week.

By rail 603 car lots went out against 765 last week. Trucking shipped 196 loads last week to 149 this week.

Summarizing the Glades produce picture for April, M. U. Mounts, county agricultural agent, reports there was no great success and that 25 percent of the vegetable producers lost money.

Prices in the area Thursday (Continued on Page 4)

House Approves Five Million FCD Appropriation

Work To Begin On L-8 Prior To June 15 Say FCD Officials

Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District received tentative approval from the U. S. House of Representatives for a five million dollar appropriation last week. The house will approve the appropriation later, according to Representative Dwight L. Rogers.

Included in an overall appropriation bill, the five million dollar appropriation must go to the senate after house approval. Congress already has appropriated \$1.5 million and a week ago approved authorization for a total of \$36.3 million.

The program provides for the advertising for bids on a new section of the \$208 million project. Yesterday invitations were mailed to bidders for the four mile stretch of L-8 extending north from the West Palm Beach Canal and diagonally northward to the L-8 starting at Lake Okechobee and extending eastward.

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Judges for the three phases of competition included: Mr. (Continued on Page 4)



Pictured in front of some of their equipment, members of the city road department are: (left to right) E. C. Cowart, shop foreman; George Beardsley, truck driver; C. W. Oliver, truck driver; J. B. Powers, cook and janitor; T. E. Strickland, carpenter; Garland Keller, machine operator; Junior Ray Green-mechanic operator; Junius Harris, street commissioner; T. C. Pennington, street superintendent; Robert Monaghan, prison guard.

Local Street Department's Story Tells Of Rapid Rise And Expansion

Rapid rise from nonentity to an organization with an expanding program of public benefits and accomplishments is the story of the Belle Glade Street Department.

From a small beginning two years ago, the department has developed into a complete and adequately equipped organization.

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High School Gets Graham Speaks At Market Barbecue

Belle Glade High School received the above average rating of 3.4 by the county evaluation committee in the final report given in the auditorium Friday night. The rating is higher than the local staff gave themselves.

Final review and report Friday night concluded the three-day program in which 48 outstanding principals and teachers studied the school plan, grounds, curriculum, departments, and records of results.

Report recommended school progress in obtaining its lofty philosophy and objectives. They stressed the well organized administration program, and growing percentage of college attendance among graduates.

Pointing to the healthy cooperation existing between the school and the community, reports emphasized the energy and enthusiasm of the teachers. Committee members remarked on the high qualifications of the staff.

Other factors mentioned were wide spread student participation on the school plays, good coverage given school activities in the local press.

Development of a more complete student activity program and a recreation program designed for after school hours were highly recommended by the committee. It also emphasized importance of extended use of visual aids and a fine arts program in the curriculum.

Committee chairmen presenting the reports were: Clyde Harris of Central High, Administration; Louis Kobrutz of Central High, curriculum; Ann Anderson of Central High, Curriculum; Eleanor McNeil of Central High, Library; Elsie Odell of Central High, Physical Education; Irene Blatt of Seacrest High, Student Council; Constance of Seacrest High, Student Council; and Elsie Lanier of Central High, Instruction.

Hurston Speaks To Interracial Group

Praising Belle Glade's Interracial Council for the work which it has done, Dr. Zora Neale Hurston, famous Negro anthropologist and specialist on Negro history, addressed a capacity audience at the Council's annual public program in Lake Shore Elementary School Sunday afternoon.

Progress made in this community in interracial cooperation is very gratifying, Belle Glade could serve as a model, she stated.

"We in the South must learn to live peacefully together, each race in its own orbit," she said.

RDB Member Drive Concluded Today

Approximately 22 committee members attended the Resources and Development Board breakfast in Bell's Restaurant Tuesday morning launching the four-day membership drive here. The drive should be completed today.

Lunch in Pelka's Restaurant in South Bay was attended by 15 committeemen from South Bay, Lake Harbor and Bean City.

The goal of \$3500 for Belle Glade-South Bay areas was set.

Earwood Is New Lions President

Henry O. Earwood was elected president of Belle Glade Lions Club Wednesday. He succeeded R. B. "Spot" Burr.

Other officers elected for the coming year were: J. R. "Prof" Davidson, 1st vice; R. E. Howard, 2nd vice; A. M. Larimore, 3rd vice; J. C. "Buddy" Schofield, secretary; James Williams, treasurer; R. E. Muller, Liason; W. H. Thames, publicist; and two-year directors Jack O. Johnson and Emmett Roberts.

Emmett Roberts and H. V. Davis were elected delegates to the national Lions convention, to be held in Chicago May 18 to 21.

R. E. Hotard and Herman Cline will act as alternates.

Local Savings & Loan Has Unique Record Of Growth Of 965% Since Its Birth

Thirteenth Charter Under National Federal Provision Proves Financial Prudence

Mr. C. E. Reidel, first and only Chief Officer of the local Federal Savings and Loan Association tells the interesting story of its origin.

"Bertha (Mrs. Reidel) noticed in the news one day where Mr. Chase with whom she had been associated in Miami in an early Building and Loan Association venture, had been called to Washington to assist in putting into operation the recently enacted Federal Government's insurance of deposits of savings associations."

"A letter to Mr. Chase brought the information as to requirements. At her further urging stimulated by her belief in ten persons were associated together and a charter applied for and received."

"At her further urging, stimulated by the need of homes in the Glades, ten of us applied for and received a charter with \$2,500 as initial capital."

"The wisdom of that move is firmly attested by the growth of our organization and the homes that we have assisted."

Savings and Loan Associations are an inheritance from the English with American improvements which include our Federal Government's guarantee to depositors or investors up to \$5,000.

The soundness of the business of lending the ordinary man money to build a home within his means and ability to repay on monthly terms within reasonable interest rates is firmly established.

The soundness of garnering the money in small bits from the depositor has been spread to include the investor up to \$5,000 for each year. Pa and each of the kids may have up to \$5,000 and each is guaranteed by our Uncle Sam. Grandma and grandpa and each of the grandchildren may also be included.

Dividends paid are dependent on the success of the borrowers, and efficiency of operation and in all cases is equal to returns on Federal Savings Bonds and the same or higher rates. Depositors have never received less than 3 percent dividends per annum.

In the early thirties, Mrs. C. E. Reidel, remembering her association with the organization, (Continued on Page 3)

City Asks Census Period Extension

Congressman Rogers called Belle Glade Wednesday night about the same time the Commission was in session to say that he had secured an extension of time for the taking of the census, it was said that everyone has been counted.

City commissioners moved to send a letter to Hal D. Laughlin, Census Bureau, requesting that the census be continued here until everyone has been counted. The action was taken at the regular commission meeting Wednesday night.

Commissioner Junius Harris also asked that copies of the letter be forwarded to Mrs. John Dulany, Herman Close and Representative Dwight L. Rogers.

A letter from William B. Rhodes, certified public accountant, stated that city and water department accounts are in order.

City engineer John Pickett, through a written report, recommended that the line bordering both sides of the alley between Main and S.E. Fourth Street be removed to clear the property and that drainage ditches there be replaced with pipes.

Equipment purchases for city departments were considered on the agenda. Bids were read for a second hand dump truck for the street department, but the matter was carried over until further investigation. The commission approved advertising for bids on a 18,000 pound chassis for a star wood packer of the sanitary department.

Chief Charles Goddett's request for a two week extension of vote of confidence given me on May 2nd. The endorsement you gave me was most gratifying. It gives me encouragement in the kind of representation that I have endeavored to give my District, State, and Nation since being in Congress.

I assure you, and each of you, that SERVICE shall be my watchword. It is my ambition my goal. I also want you to know that there is "no job too small, and no job too large for me to accept," so I shall be at any time that you feel that you need help and that I can be of assistance.

PAR-TEE LINE

Brilliant Country Club of the City

By Anne Newman

Championship of the ladies golf tournament will be determined by the playoff between Mrs. E. M. VanLandingham and Mrs. Cliff Livingston in the first division.

Mrs. E. A. McCabe and Mrs. Bennie Weeks will compete in the finals of the Dave Hunter Club women played Lake Worth ladies in a tournament here Monday morning. The score was 19-one-half to 16-one-half.

Efforts are being made to arrange a match with the winners at Belle Glade. It will be played on the local course. It plans materialize, both ladies and men will participate. Mr. Co-chairman for ladies day this afternoon at the club are Mrs. C. J. Aspey and Mrs. Chas. Hensley.

Mrs. Bill Graber, chairman for Sunday port luck supper, announces Mrs. Paul Beardsley, Mrs. Bob Muller, and Mrs. Lloyd Clanton as hostesses.

Birth Announcement

Ann and Mrs. Jack Whitlock announce the birth of a 9 lb. 10 oz. daughter, May 10, at the Pahoehoe Hospital. This is their first child and was born on the mother's birthday. The mother was formerly Joanne Koffman.

Message To Our Citizens

On Monday, May 15, the U. S. Savings Bonds Independence Drive opens throughout the nation, continuing through the Fourth of July. Its symbol is the campaign theme: Save for Your Independence—Buy U. S. Savings Bonds.

The year-round Savings Bonds program, of which this annual campaign is an important part, fosters the spirit of self-reliance and the urge for self-betterment that, along with individual enterprise, inventiveness, productivity and thrift, have carried our country since the first settlers braved the wilderness to build a free America.

Through regular savings we build up reserves against misfortune and provide income for our later years, thus lessening the burden upon others. We accumulate funds for worthwhile purchases and investments. The buying power we store up (individual savings in E Bonds alone exceed \$34,000,000,000 in cash value today) helps to stabilize business and employment through the years.

As your mayor, I urge all who are able to help the volunteer Savings Bonds Committee of this city reach every possible bond buyer during the campaign. The more we exceed our Independence Drive quota each week, the more we shall have done for ourselves, our community and our nation.

In honor of the Liberty Bell, hallmarks symbol of the American principles by which we live and grow and prosper, I call upon our citizens to signal the opening of this Independence Drive by the ringing of bells throughout the city at noon and the displaying of our nation's flag on Monday, May 15.

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Herald J. Rubin,
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Toward A Perfect Count
Anyone can count sheep in their sleep, but counting people for the United States Seventh Decennial Census is no lazy job. The task is big, its importance great. Everyone's cooperation is required. The question—have you been counted? If not or if you know of anyone who has been missed, get in touch with the district census office, Mrs. John Dulaney, or Herman Cook immediately.

Importance of an accurate count cannot be over emphasized. The city's population figure and statistics will be attributed to it for ten years. Census figures have political, economical, and social implications in the city, in the state and in the nation. They help determine both congressional and legislative representation. For the gigantic task a national program, county programs and district programs are organized. Directors down to enumerators are selected for their competence through competitive examinations. Finally crew workers and enumerators take instructional courses before the actual census taking begins. There are just a few of the measures taken to insure a thorough and accurate census.

While many cities are hollering about an inaccurate census count, investigation reveals that Belle Glade's count is quite accurate perhaps with the exception of several Negro sections which are still being worked under the supervision of Mr. Close.

Mrs. John Dulaney, crew leader for this district, says that in the program here, enumerators were assigned to their own neighborhoods if possible. This assured enumerators familiarity with their sections and reduces the chance of their missing anyone. Mrs. Dulaney herself made numerous spot checks and seldom found uncounted individuals.

Organized counting was concluded here last Thursday. Dulaney says although clean up counting is still continuing. Paulette Black

State Employment Service Releases Job Inventory

Would you like to know what the employment conditions are in Montana, Alaska, or other far away places?

Then see your nearest office of the Florida State Employment Service as they have inaugurated nationwide job information in the Job Inventory released recently.

Information concerning labor demand and supply in 12 states, Alaska, the District of Columbia and Canada are included in the bulletin. Special information is given on large dam projects throughout the

country. At present, however, the local labor supply is adequate to meet the needs at Belle Glade. The demand for these specialists is heaviest in the larger communities.

A teacher in cabinet making between 30-50 years of age is

needed to instruct a class of 20-25 in the art of cabinet making. The job pays \$3,000 a year.

While experience is required in most of the specialist jobs listed there is an opening for an inorganic chemist who is a college graduate in chemistry or chemical engineering.

A commercial photographer between 24-45 years is needed in one area. Must have five years experience, preferably with newspapers.

Twelve trainee openings for airport superintendent between 20-25 with college education are listed in another city. They must speak Spanish and should have an A and E license.

There is also an opening for a man or woman with two years experience in supervisory as a medical laboratory technician. The applicant must be registered with A.C.P.A.

School News

By Dorine Mathewson

Fashion Show

The home economics classes will present the annual fashion show at the high school gym Friday night, April 19, under the direction of their instructor, Mrs. Hazel Litchfield. This year the theme will be based around the newly organized Future Homemakers of America. For the theme will be based around the newly organized Future Homemakers of America.

Banquet And Prom Tonight
Tonight, May 12, is the big occasion! The junior class of Belle Glade High is presenting the annual banquet and prom in honor of the seniors of 1950. The juniors have enjoyed their periods out of regular classes so that they could decorate and the seniors have been busy guessing the theme that will be revealed to us when we enter the gym tonight.

Assembly

The glue club of Belle Glade High School had charge of the musical program presented in the general assembly Friday.

Their selections were "I Hear Belle Glade Singing," "The Old Ragged Cross," "Charlottesville," "Look for the Silver Lining," "Music, Music, Music," "Dear Hearts and Gentle People," "Song of Belle Glade," and "Suwanee River."

Two solos were included in the program. Jeannette McDonald sang "Go Down Moses" and Patricia Tatum sang "Fair Lord Jesus." For a final touch, Robert Madsen danced and sang "Chattanooga Shoe Shine Boy."

Once again Walter Schlechter apologized for being ineligible to play baseball. Although he promised when he apologized before that it would be the last time, this time really will be the last as the baseball season is to its end.

Boys Go To Washington D.C.
Adrian Rashley and Joe Leavitt have been selected by the safety patrol to attend a conference of the organization in Washington, D. C. The boys left via train with other delegates of this district from West Palm Beach on May 11. Nearly every safety patrol organization in Florida will send representatives.

Adrian and Joe have been active members for three years. Their trip is sponsored by the local police force and the P.T.A.

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Mud Lake Gets "Cleared Up"

County officers got a notice from the government not long ago, asking them to change the name of Mud Lake. Seems it's a pond, not a lake, by government standards. Because it lies entirely inside our town limits, we asked to do the name-changing ourselves. Figured we'd think up a brand-new name. Mud Lake's really not very muddy — sort of pretty, in fact. County people said go ahead, so we held a Town Meeting. Everyone suggested something. Windy Tarp thought "Taylor Pond" would be nice, because his place borders

...for about 30 feet! But we finally decided to call it "Turtle Pond" in honor of the real owners. From where I sit, naming that pond wasn't the most important thing in the world—but the way we did it was. Everyone offered his opinion and then the majority vote decided it. That's the way it should be—whether it concerns naming a pond, or having the right to enjoy a friendly glass of beer or ale—and when we choose.

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Social Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Delaney have as their house guest his aunt, Mrs. G. E. Bauer, of Redwood, California.

Mr. Alvin Roberts who has spent the winter at the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. Livingston, left Monday for Portland, Indiana to spend the

summer months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Scheele. Mrs. Scheele is also his daughter.

W. R. Evans left Thursday for the home in Roanoke, Virginia, after spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. John Hooker.

Mrs. William Buck will leave Monday for Sacramento, California, to spend several weeks visiting Mrs. Bess Johnson, formerly Mrs. Keese.

Dr. H. E. Elsberry visited his family in Belle Glade the past week end.

Johnnie Hooker who is taking a training course at Ft. Benning, Georgia, spent last week end with his family and brought

as his house guest Mr. Richard Cate of New York.

Mrs. David Cassel returned Sunday from a ten day visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Berry, Henderson, Texas.

Mrs. J. D. Poole left Tuesday for the Florida Orchestral Society. She plans to stay for her daughter's graduation from nurses' training, June 1, at which time they will return home together.

Eleven churches were represented at the May Fellowship Luncheon held at the Methodist Church, Thursday, May 5.

Guests were received by Mrs. F. C. Dooley and Mrs. S. K. Smith, Jr.

Tables were arranged with beautiful floral bouquets, presented and arranged by Mrs. Curtis Thompson.

Hostesses were: Mrs. H. D. Beck, Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. F. C. Schoenfeld, Mrs. E. M. Van Landingham, and Mrs. George Farnham.

Following the luncheon a brief organ interlude was presented by Miss Ruth West.

Themed of the day was "Our Daily Bread," Mrs. A. L. Wallis as program chairman, and ladies of the different churches taking part in the program as follows: Mrs. I. L. Price, Presbyterian; Mrs. R. V. Allison, Methodist; Mrs. Lonnie Warren and her mother, Mrs. Althman, Church of God; Mrs. H. O. Earwood, Baptist; Mrs. Kathleen Dexter, Catholic; Mrs. Thomas Bregger, Episcopal; Mrs. Jas. A. Ball, Jr., substituted for Mrs. P. E. Nielson, Church of the Nazarene; Mrs. F. C. Dooley for Mrs. L. B. Cook, Seventh Day Adventist; Mrs. H. D. Tregina participated in behalf of the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

Approximately 65 ladies attended.

LOCAL LADIES INSTALLED AT WOMAN'S CLUB COUNCIL. Several representatives from the local Woman's Club attended the County Council meeting of Woman's Clubs in West Palm Beach Monday.

Beginning with a business meeting in the morning, a noon luncheon was served, followed by installation of new officers.

Two members of Belle Glade Club were installed as County Council officers: Mrs. F. C. Dooley, first vice president; and Mrs. H. C. Delaney, secretary.

Attending were Mrs. Harry Delaney and her guest, Mrs. G. E. Bauer, Mrs. John McKenzie, Mrs. F. O. Hobbs, Mrs. J. F. F. Browne, Mrs. H. D. Beck, Mrs. I. L. Price, Mrs. J. J. Freedlund, Mrs. H. V. Draz, Mrs. J. A. Ball, Mrs. F. C. Dooley, Mrs. E. D. Humphries and Mrs. J. M. Gilchrist.

TWO LANIER BROTHERS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS. Complimenting the 57th birthday of Henry Lanier, Belle Glade, and the 52nd birthday of his brother, William Lanier, Wauchula, a celebration was held at Creweville, Florida, April 30, with approximately 250 guests attending.

Chief cook and bottle-washer for the occasion was Chester H. Johnson, United States Marine.

Attending from Belle Glade were: Mr. and Mrs. T. Lanier, children, Marion and Steve; Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lanier, daughter, Jeanne and Inez; Mr. and Mrs. Elzie L. Prevatt and son, Wayne Mitchell; and Mr. J. L. Lanier.

Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lanier, Palm Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Britt Lanier, Ft. Pierce; and Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Lanier, children Shelley and Linda, Bradenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Vadas, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Norris, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Arnold.

Guests included Mrs. Arnold's mother, Mrs. Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Grandstad and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dolson.

DEMOLAY BENEFIT DANCE AT PALM BEACH TONIGHT. The Thomas A. Edison Chapter of Demolay, West Palm Beach, announces the annual Benefit dance to be held at the Biltmore Hotel, Palm Beach, tonight from 9 to 1:00.

A floor show is scheduled and music will be furnished by Russ Henderson's Orchestra.

NEW SORORITY OFFICERS HOLD EXECUTIVE MEETING. Mrs. O. G. McWhorter, president of Beta Sigma Phi, was

present at an executive meeting held at her home Monday night and appointed her committee for the coming year.

Attending were: Clark Wilkinson, vice president; Julia Chappel, recording secretary; Patricia Clayton, corresponding secretary; Rachael Wooten, treasurer; and Louise Choste, extension officer.

These new officers of the sorority were installed at a ceremony held at the Country Club, April 28.

Pahoek Chapter members were guests at the Supper dance which followed the ceremony.

Business In County Charged With Child Labor Violations. Major violations of the Child Labor Law administered by the Florida Industrial Commission have been charged certain Palm Beach County business establishments, according to R. E. Lee, commission representative handling child labor investigations in this county.

Working minors during school hours was the charge made against establishments engaged in agricultural activities. Lack of work permits was also accused for some of the concerns.

Vegetable picking during school hours by both boys and girls was charged the farms. Lack of work permits also constituted illegal employment by the concerns.

Work permits may be obtained by minors under 18 presenting proof of their age and parental approval to the County Board of Public Instruction. The permits should be obtained prior to employment.

"The purpose of this law is not to keep young people from earning money," stated Lee, "but to assure them safe and healthful work conditions and sufficient time for recreation, education and relaxation."

Mail Appeal For Cancer Funds Not Connected With Campaign. In response to numerous inquiries, the American Cancer

Society said last week that the mail appeal for funds now being made in several sections of Florida by the National Cancer Hospital of America has no connection with the Society's current campaign in the state.

Millard Davidson, executive vice president of the Florida Division of the American Cancer Society, said he had been unable to obtain information concerning which localities would be served by the proposed 300-room hospital to be built in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. Davidson pointed out that funds contributed to the Florida Division of the American Cancer Society will be used to help pay for cancer research, for cancer education, and will help provide a diagnosis, treatment and other services to indigent cancer patients in Florida.

Most of the funds raised in the state remain here to pay for cancer control activities aimed at reducing the cancer death toll in Florida.

SUGAR COMPANY CLOSES SUCCESSFUL SEASON. One of the most successful sugar seasons in recent years has come to a close, according to an announcement by H. T. Vaughn, executive vice-president and general manager of the corporation. It is a little early, he said, to give comparative figures with past seasons but he described the 1949-1950 sea-

son as one of the best seasons the corporation has had so far as tonnage of sugar produced and the amount of sugar ground. Hurricane damage last Fall and a sneak freeze in November, both of which did most damage to the Eastern Division, took their toll of cane and had not been for these disasters, the current sugar season would, undoubtedly, have set an all-time record.

Contract growers, after a couple of rough seasons, are well

pleased with tonnage and sugar content of their cane this season. Most of the growers had little or no damage from the storm or freeze damage.

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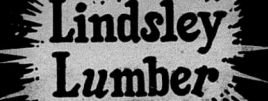
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GLADES NEGRO NEWS

Written by Negroes of the Communities

Okeechobee Camp News

By Mrs. S. H. Jemmett

A celebration in honor of the 14th wedding anniversary of Mr. S. L. Teague and the 16th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harrell, all of Okeechobee, was given on Friday night at the home of the S. L. Teagues. Those sharing this delectable occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Jemmett, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. King, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ferchlen, Mrs. A. Davis, Mr. Fred Harris, Mr. Earl Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Mace Gelson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Teague and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Manuel were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Williams Jackson and family of Winter Haven, Florida during the week-end. On returning home, the Teagues and Manuels visited the Tower and Cypress Gardens.

Mr. Harvey J. Poole was a recent business visitor in Stuart, Florida and Fort Pierce, Fla. Barbara J. Dickinson, 40 Carver Street, was home guest at her birthday party given by her mother, Mrs. Viola Dickinson. The children participated in a variety of games. The guests included Virginia Brown, Bobbie Harrison, Charlie Trotter, Minnie Shuler, Annie Blount, Mildred Simmons, Hazel Poole, Priscilla Stephens, Mary A. Davis, Inez Davis, Rudolph Davis, Elouise Alexander, Louise Alexander, Elyonora Jones, Mary Jones, Mary Howard, Rose Howard, Mary Lee King, Mary Francis Teague, Mattie Mae Starks, Jean Wilcox, Mary Davis, and Betty Jean Jones. Ice cream, cake, candy and peanuts were served to all. Everyone had a very enjoyable time.

Everglades Vocational High

The Sixth Grade Class, under the sponsorship of Mrs. S. H. Jemmett, was in charge of the chapel Monday. Many beautiful readings were recited by various members of the class. The class also sang several selections, which were enjoyed by everyone.

On Thursday evening, May 4, 1950, Everglades Vocational High proudly presented a Band-Chorus Concert at the Assembly Hall, Camp Okeechobee, Belle Glade, Florida. The band included "America" and "Chorus" played by the E.V.H. Band, and "America the Beautiful" band and chorus participation. Del Ringo's "Homing" and "On Sing Your Song" by Cain was very beautifully rendered. In the E.V.H. Chorus. The band continued with "Junior Band March" and "Shadowland Waltz" by Humphreys. Everglades Prayer" and O'Hara's "One World" was presented by the Chorus. "Summer Skies," "On the Beach," and "Larger than Life" were sung by the E.V.H. Chorus. "New World Symphony" were played by the E.V.H. Band. "Roll on River" and "My Hero" were sung by the E.V.H. Chorus. Bertha Rutledge, a very talented soprano soloist, sang "Will O' The Wisp" by Rogers, followed by "Campus Glory," "Silver Moon," and "Merry Widow Waltz" by E. V. H. Band. Remarks by our principal, Mr. B. G. Gayles, were quite enjoyable during intermission. "Liebestraum" Band and Chorus. "On the Beach" by the E.V.H. Chorus. "Treasure Island," "Melody in F," "Volga Boatman" E.V.H. Band, the Glee Club and the Chorus. The Glee Club sang "I Got a Home in Dat Rock," "Climbin' up the Mountains," and "Let us Break Bread Together." The Chorus sang "Honor Salute," "In the Ballroom" and "America" were played by the E.V.H. Band. The forty-five piece band, under the direction of Mr. M. M. Hamilton, has progressed tremendously since its organization seven months ago. The sixty voice choir, under the direction of Miss F. A. Payne and assisted on the piano by Miss M. O. Keys, has made considerable progress.

Friday, May 5, the Baseball team of Everglades Vocational High was guest of the Dorsey High school "Bulls," Miami. The "Bobs" defeated the "Bulls" by a score of 16-6. Willie Davis was

the winning pitcher with fourteen strike-outs. He gave up only one hit. The costly errors committed by "Bobcat" players Bolden, Everett, and Brown accounted for the "Bulls" runs. The most exciting event of the game was the double, triple, and home run executed by Walter Murph, catcher for the "Bobs."

The Senior Class wishes to thank the many supporters who turned out to make their play a success. The play, entitled "Spooky Tavern," was quite a success with the Eugene Williams playing the role of Lon Hacker; Daisy Williams playing the Ghost; Hines, George Murphy as Blackie; Catherine Davis, Joyce Wingate; Jamesena Poole, Florabel Winger; Eugene Stanley, Ted Tanager; Howard Ralph Channings; Dorothy Miller, Bedelia; Ira Dickinson, Farone; Ben McCoy, Willie George; George Murphy as Blackie; Simmons.

Calendar of Events, 1950
May 8, Senior Class Play; May 12, Junior Class Play; May 15, Tenth Grade Class Play; May 17-18 Athletic Carnival; May 19 May Day Program; May 19 (a) Commencement; May 22, Intermediate Dept. Operetta; May 25, Sixth Grade Class Play; May 26, Junior-Senior Prom; May 28, Commencement; May 29, Senior Class Play; May 31, Commencement.

Bean City News

Walter J. Jemmett, Reporter

The Bean City school is moving along grandly. Our closing schedule is as follows: Primary Operetta, May 22nd; School Musical, May 25th; School Play, May 28th; School Play, May 31st. All students and parents are responsible for the fine work done in our school and community and our principal, Mr. Jemmett, has worked hard to help ours to be better than best. You are invited to all of our affairs during our closing. Rev. Henry J. Jemmett will deliver the message on the fourth Sunday afternoon at 8:30 o'clock. Music will be furnished by the School Chorus Group.

The parents, especially those with children in the school, are urged to remain here until school closes. The Girl Scout Troop had a most successful outing. It was under guidance of Mrs. O. D. Lee, Scout leader. They attended the spelling Bee at the E.V.H. Chorus. The girls of their number, Madelyn Caldwell participated. After the Spelling Bee, they motored to the E.V.H. Chorus. The girls had a beautiful time. They were first prize winners in a glee Bee. They were first prize winners in a watermelon and pie-eating contest held on the beach as part of the Coconut Festival program which was held all day Saturday. The Scouts had a most enjoyable day, one long to be remembered. Those participating were: Scouts, Madelyn Caldwell, Mattie Jean Young, Laddie, Jessie Lee Cooper, Barbara Smith, Dorothy Posey, Dorothy Posey, Almaria Wilkerson, Dorothy McNair and Betty Burns. This week the girls are working on their composition form and are enthusiastically doing it.

The Junior Red Cross Chapter of the E.V.H. is planning to go on an outing with the County Junior Red Cross at Delray Beach, May 20. Parents may accompany their children on this outing.

Please keep your children in school. Your children will be proud of them.

Buy the Belle Glade Herald weekly from our carriers.

Girl Scouts Will Present Skill Show
Girl Scout Troop No. 3, sponsored by Lake Shore Elementary School, is rehearsing a short dramatic skit, to be presented at the annual picnic of the school. At that time pins and First Aid Efficiency Badges will be awarded. Watch the paper for the date.

The Troop is giving a weiner roast Saturday, May 20.

New Bethel Baptist Church

Mrs. G. M. Douglas, Reporter

Rev. W. J. Jemmett, Pastor

The New Bethel Sunday school met at usual hour with 200 pupils. Dec. Sandy Kendall and all teachers on their regular duties. Highlight was given by the Rev. McGriff from First Baptist Church, LaBelle, Fla.

11:30 we had a spiritual prayer service. The most wonderful sermon by the Rev. McGriff, which was enjoyed by all.

7:30 prayer service was conducted by Dec. O. W. Brown, after which the Rev. H. C. White, pastor from this church Subject was Abide in God's word.

Monday night the woman's home mission met at usual hour. With Vice-President Mrs. G. M. Douglas presiding. After prayer service our Bible sponsor, Mrs. S. A. Oneal came forward and taught the lesson from the Gospel of Matthew of the world Luke 10:25-28: The mission ladies received many thoughtful gifts.

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Pahokee Elementary School

By Stanleigh Merrill

Mrs. Dorothy Christian, our school Art Chairman was very happy on Wednesday morning when each class submitted to her many lovely and useful articles that they had made to be put on display at the Arts and Crafts Exhibition now being held at Industrial High School in West Palm Beach.

Christine Davis and Tony McKinley of fourth and fifth grade respectively produced beautiful original drawings of flowers. These were done under the guidance of Mrs. Christian.

The sixth grade boys under the supervision of Mr. Murrell made a very unique set of furniture out of clothes pins.

Mrs. Wright's division of first grade took ordinary glass jars and hand painted them, then decorated them with decals.

Mrs. Wright's division of first grade made delicate May Baskets out of colored tissue paper.

Miss White and the third grade contributed a recipe book and a set of table mats. These were made out of old soap powder boxes and shell paper.

Mrs. Robinson and the second grades contributed several small articles. These included book marks made from old cloth and ribbon, needle cases made from card board and old felt hats, handkerchief holders and Mother's Day cards made from construction paper.

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Consumers' Problems

Mrs. Lee has done special research on the problems of consumers.

Today everyone seems to be more home and home furnished. We need to take into consideration the fact that there are many factors to be considered in the selection of the things we buy. We read the ads in papers; we hear the radio broadcasts and ditties advertising this, that and the other. Sometimes we wonder if they do not confuse more than help in selecting the best values. However, there are ways and means of knowing the best values and applying this knowledge when one buys what he needs.

On selecting clothing we have learned that income, environment, and the social status of the wearer must be taken into account. In buying house furnishings those same factors are equally important. Each of us knows some one who has squandered many dollars extravagantly on unnecessary and useless things. First, stop and consider the thing you think you want. Then ask yourself, "Why do I want this thing?" You will find if you are honest with yourself you are wanting what you need. Some one else have this desire to keep up with the Joneses; to be thought well of by social groups with which you class, and to make impressions on those whom you consider above you have caused much extravagance and needless buying. It is unfortunate that America accepts the amount of money one possesses as a standard of success. Even lack of education, good breeding or good taste are over-shadowed many times by money. We are often unhappy because our desires are beyond our means. This will go on and on if we continue to be imitators of other people.

Values And Satisfaction
It is certain that our convictions change as we grow up. When we are children we think we have things exactly as our minds have imagined them to be. As we grow older, we realize substitution or even do without the thing that we feel that in childhood we must have. We now seek values that give real satisfaction. Real beauty always tops imitated beauty. Compare a paper rose with a real rose. What a different kind of beauty found in the real rose. That is what we seek in purchasing our home furnishings—real beauty. One fine point to remember is really beautiful furnishings are not necessarily costly, but a great amount of time is needed plus thought in selection of articles. Dyer says, "a modest home, with simple and artistic furnishings consistent with the home and the owner's income proclaims his superiority in taste and in appreciation of the finer things in life gives him more genuine and lasting satisfaction than would a similar small home that was cluttered with expensive, extravagant, ornate furniture and draperies."

Floor Coverings
The essential things in rug buying are durability, ease of cleaning, sufficient weight to be flat on the floor without curling, and a color and design that will harmonize with the rest of the room.

Modern cleaning methods help the consumer to select rugs and carpets for the home. A rug with a cut pile is harder to clean than one with an uncut pile. The latter has little or no pile and is easier to clean. A room with a lot of furniture in it should have plain floor covering where there is little furniture the floor covering can be more conspicuous.

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For long wear get a rug with a short close pile. A cut pile will however, make a richer surface. A good rug made of worsted with a linen backing is the most durable to be bought. A cotton rug wears shabby quickly. (Not a rag rug). Wilton rugs are the most expensive domestic rugs and possibly most serviceable but hard to keep clean as it absorbs dirt readily. Others are: Royal Wilton, short close nap, Anglo-Persian Wilton, costly and very fine. French Wilton, not so colorful as Anglo-Persian, Wilton Velvet, a cheaper grade of Wilton, velvet a pile construction. Axminster expensive, long soft pile tufts and colorful, chenille, made of soft tufted or fluffy yarns. Brussels, a pile construction with pile uncut, inexpensive, yet gives good service. There are two groups, tapestry Brussels and Body Brussels. In tapestry Brussels the color is printed on the warp before weaving and only one set of warp and filling yarns are used. Body Brussels are usually heavier and more durable and its colors are more lasting and more attractive; Ingrain, inexpensive reversible carpet, no pile, and fiber, hemp, grass rugs which are low priced and wear fairly well.

Ornamental rugs are out of the question for low-income people. These rugs are expensive because of the skill, artistic taste and time necessary for making them. When buying one, if you are one of Allah's fair children, have a light to shine upon the rug that the best effect may be had. Next we have: Carpets and Draperies.

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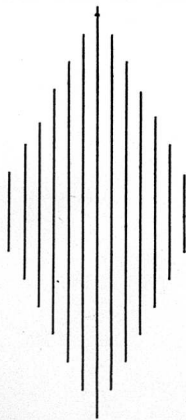
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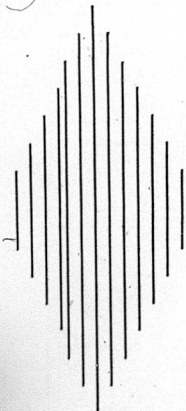
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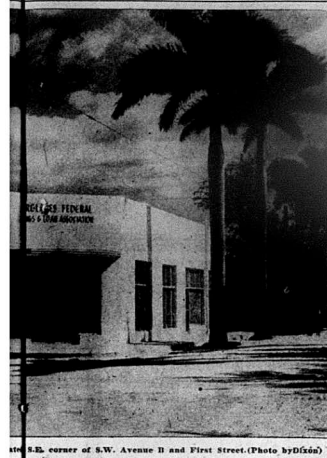
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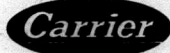
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C. E. Redmer (at table) and original Belle Glade real estate operator and President; (left) Herbert D. Beck, attorney and director; A. E. (Mick) Kirkman, real estate operator and director; right (seated) W. B. Harker, pioneer farmer and director and Hugh J. Bratley, Secretary-Treasurer and director. (Photo by Bill Howarth)

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Growers, Shippers Schedule Meet In Clewiston May 15

Growers, shippers and other persons interested in Florida's fastest growing industry, sweet corn, will assemble for the first time, in a statewide meeting at the Clewiston Inn, Clewiston, on May 16 at 1:00 p.m. to discuss problems facing the production of this commodity, according to L. L. Chandler of Goulds, chairman of the Florida Fruit and Vegetable Association, under whose sponsorship the meeting has been called.

Chandler said that it was generally conceded only a few

years ago that sweet corn could not be grown successfully in commercial quantities in Florida.

"Statistics show that Florida's sweet corn production has doubled during each of the past two years and is still being increased. Last season's crop was valued at more than four and a half million dollars and the 1949-50 crop is expected to be much greater."

"Such rapid growth," said Chandler, "is not without attendant problems of a very urgent nature, therefore growing pains will be prominently discussed during the Clewiston meeting."

"Specialists and authorities will be present to lend their valuable aid and assistance. Dr. F. S. Jamison of the Florida Experiment Station, Gainesville; Dr. J. R. Winston, senior horticulturist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture; and Mr. Hugh Flynt, assistant director of citrus and vegetable inspection, and other prominent authorities will participate in discussions on such subjects as production, grades, shipping and marketing."

Chandler emphasized that growers and shippers of sweet corn and others interested, are urged to be present whether or not they are members of FFVA. "Also on the schedule is a meeting of the board of directors of FFVA to be held at the Clewiston Inn on May 17 at 8:30 a.m."

"All directors of FFVA are urged to be present. Matters of importance to the association will be discussed during this brief session," said Chandler. Another meeting scheduled for members of FFVA has been called by the chairman of the Tomato Division, Dixon Pearce, of Miami, for 10:00 a.m., immediately following the board of directors meeting.

"We will hear detailed information about the results of work recently completed by members of the Foreign Competition Committee of particular interest to tomato growers. All members of this division are urged to attend in order to hear at first hand the report on the visit to Nogales, Arizona," said Pearce.

"We are fortunate in having Mr. J. E. Roumilly, southeastern representative of the Association of American Railroads, who will contribute to discussions on container problems affecting the tomato industry," concluded Pearce.

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Rev. Leonard F. Vandewater, pastor, located at Southwest Avenue B and First Street. Church hours: Sunday, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Junior Choir, 2:30 p.m.; South Fellowship, 4:00 p.m.; Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.; Sunday of each quarter, 11:30 a.m.; Monday, Third Lutheran Mass, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 8:30 p.m.; Thursday, 8:30 p.m.; and Young People's Society, 8:30 p.m.; Thursday, 8:30 p.m.; and Young People's Society, 8:30 p.m.; Thursday, 8:30 p.m.; and Young People's Society, 8:30 p.m.

Seventh Day Adventist Church

Located on Southwest Avenue B and Second Street. W. C. Hutto, pastor. Morning worship, 10:00 a.m.; Saturday morning, morning worship, 11:00 a.m.; prayer meeting on Wednesday evening, 8:00 p.m.

Everglades Presbyterian Church

Rev. Dan Graham, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.; Choir Practice, 6:30 p.m.; Evening Service, 8:00 p.m.; Tuesday, 8:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.; Thursday, 8:00 p.m.; and Young People's Society, 8:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church of Glades

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

Nazarene Church

The Church of the Nazarene Mission, at the Everglades Theatre. Pastor: Services each week as follows: Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

South Bay Baptist Church

Dr. F. P. Hallford, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

Lake Harbor Community Methodist

Lake Harbor Community Methodist Church, Rev. James Whitfield, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

This Week's Sermonette Is Written By Elder

Curtis Slade, Church of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints, Belle Glade.

It is the same old story every time some of us are confronted with the task of choosing for ourselves. Instead of exercising our God-given powers of reasoning, we fall back on the age-old adage, "What's good enough for my parents, is good enough for me."

How many of us realize the terrible mistake we are making when we do this? Could it be possible that we are hurting someone else by our refusal to think things out for ourselves?

I wonder if you and I would be enjoying these beautiful climatic conditions in Florida today, had Columbus said, "Oh, what's the use; my parents think the world is flat, so why should I worry about it? After all, what's good enough for them is good enough for me."

It sounds silly to some of us, doesn't it? Sure it does; and why? Simply because we know that truth is truth, and it never changes. Remember this, God is the source of all truth, and it is very certain that he is the same yesterday, today and forever. He does not give forth some truths today, and then a thousand years from today declare they are no longer true—Heaven forbid! God is not the author of confusion, as so many of us would try to make Him.

Know this: "Man cannot be saved in ignorance!" Don't ever let anyone fool you into thinking differently. Partial truth cannot save a person. It has been given very wisely that, "A man can be saved no faster than he gains knowledge."

What do you think? Should we all be "truth seekers," actually wanting to gain knowledge of more new truths everyday of our lives, or should we be content with letting someone else do our thinking for us?

Sure, I know; you say, "I want to learn new truths—just so long as they don't conflict with my way of thinking."

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Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sisley of Fayette City, Penna., who are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Eckman, spent last week in Cleveiston as the guests of R. S. Donaldson.

Mrs. P. E. Goodbread and sons Alton and Howell have returned from a vacation motor trip to Corpus Christi, Texas, where they visited her son, Captain J. E. Goodbread and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin B. Crow have sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Walker and have purchased a farm at Summerfield where they plan on moving in the near future. Mr. Crow has turned over his bookkeeping clients to W. B. Rhodes of Belle Glade.

Cleo B. Higginbotham was taken very ill with a heart attack while at work in his field Friday and rushed to the Belle Glade Hospital. He returned home Sunday evening somewhat improved.

Mrs. B. A. Oswald and son

Charles of Lake Wales are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Willis. Mr. Green made a trip to Miami on business Monday, Mrs. Green and Mrs. Willis visited their mother, Mrs. Laura Crow, and sisters, Mrs. C. C. Hutson and Mrs. Roy O. E. Hutson, at West Palm Beach during the day.

Dick Miller had the misfortune to have his cattle truck demolished on SR 80 between South Bay and Bean City Sunday night when a car driven by a negro crashed into his truck head on. Neither driver was injured.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crichfield attended the state high school band contest in Miami last week and expressed themselves as much impressed with the performance of the bands.

Mrs. Lamoureux Honored With Stork Shower

Mrs. Leon H. Willis, Mrs. Beatie Smith, and Mrs. Reba Hodges, entertained at a stork shower honoring Mrs. Johnnie Lamoureux at the Joe H. Hodges home Tuesday evening.

Guests were entertained with games and contests and viewed the display of shower gifts. A salad course, cookies and soft drinks were served to Mrs. Jesse Barnes, Mrs. R. L. Barrett, Mrs. S. M. McAllister, Mrs. O. M. McAllister, Mrs. Melvin Herring, Mrs. I. M. Davis, Mrs. W. M. Jeffries, Mrs. T. E. Weathers, Miss June Ratley, Miss Dorine Mathewson, Mrs. Alfred Vadas, Mrs. B. M. Fender, Mrs. J. W. Mathewson.

Baptist Have Week Study Course

A study course in training methods was presented each evening last week at the South Bay Baptist Church by Rev. R. F. Hallford, pastor of the church, and Rev. Sagers, pastor of the Lake Harbor Baptist Church.

Rev. Hallford left Monday for Chicago where he will attend the National Baptist Convention.

Willits Family Have Picnic Reunion Sunday

The Willits family enjoyed a family reunion picnic at Fish-eating Creek Sunday. In the group were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jones, Alice and Sandra of Princeton, who were spending the week end in South Bay, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Willis, Frankie, Dick, Dan and Doris, Mrs. H. C. VanLandingham, Carl, Sam and Joe of Belle Glade, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Willis.

Home Dem Club Members Attend Achievement Day

Six members of the South Bay Home Demonstration Club attended the annual Achievement Day of the Senior County Council at the Court House in West Palm Beach Thursday and received a number of prizes on their exhibits.

Mrs. H. C. Willis took first prize on her hooked rug, and Mrs. Verda Higginbotham first on a luncheon cloth made from a sack decorated with hand drawn work and tatting. Mrs. A. B. Barnes received first on turkey eggs and second on a knitted Afghan. Mrs. Mollie Covert received first on a jar of mixed papayas and marionette cherries. Mrs. I. P. Roberts took first on a jar of vegetable soup, first on child's pinafore from a sack and second on a child's smocked dress modeled by Sharon Roberts. Mrs. A. N. Lamoureux took first on a child's best dress modeled by Sharon Roberts.

Mrs. A. L. Cumpton took first on a girl's best cotton dress modeled by Nada Kay Cumpton and first on fancy breakfast rolls.

Richard Herring Has Birthday Party

Richard Herring was feted on his birthday at a party given by his mother, Mrs. Melvin Herring, entertaining a group of his playmates and their mothers.

Favors, balloons and candy were presented to each guest. Cake and grapefruit were served to the children, and cokes to the mothers.

Guests were Bertram Bertram and Myrnat Davis, Linda and Bernice Leathlean, Ginger and Janet Crichfield, Gladys and Norma Dalrymple, Linda and Sharon Wilder, Marsha and Nell Walker, Ray Sullivan, Joyce Johnson of Belle Glade, Dick, Dan and Doris Willis, Kay Waters, Judy and Tommy Weathers, Sharon and Robert Roberts, Cherry Hardy, Donna

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Mother's attending were: Mrs. C. J. Summerlin, Mrs. Royne Davis, Mrs. Jack Waters, Mrs. Clayton Waters, Mrs. T. E. Weathers, Mrs. C. J. Peacock, Mrs. E. Cooper, Jr., Mrs. Hoch Cooper, Mrs. I. P. Roberts, Mrs. J. H. Linton Miller, Mrs. C. E. Crichfield, Mrs. Norma Dalrymple, Mrs. Eloise Williams, Mrs. S. M. McAllister, Mrs. Floyd Wilder, Mrs. Lucille Walker.

Edgar Cooper Dies Of Heart Attack Friday

Edgar A. Cooper, age 64, died of heart attack Friday night at the Belle Glade Hospital where he was rushed Friday morning by ambulance following the second heart attack in 24 hours.

He came to South Bay in 1946 from West Palm Beach and has resided here continuously since then as manager of the Blue Bell Package Store. He was a veteran of World War I.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Mizell-Simon-Faville Chapel in West Palm Beach by the Rev. Robert S. Bennett, pastor of the White Temple Christian Church.

Funeral bearers were George Pudgett, William R. Kerr, Thos. J. McCants, John Lester Algy, Charles Weishaar and David Conlin.

Burial was at Woodlawn Cemetery. Survivors are his wife Mrs. Irving Cooper, his father, Edward J. Cooper of Wausau, Wisconsin; two sons, Police Sgt. Gilbert Cooper of West Palm Beach, and Wilmer Cooper of Pewaukee, Wis.; three brothers, Hilden and Felix Cooper of Milwaukee, and Walter Cooper of Wausau; and two sisters, Mrs. Florence Groff, Milwaukee and Mrs. Clara Rosine of Indiana.

Legion Post Elects Officers For Year

The South Bay American Legion Post 161 elected officers at their last session at the school auditorium. These officers will be installed at a joint installation of all Everglades Posts and the Auxiliaries at the Clewiston Legion Hall on Thursday, May 11. Pridham, Ninth District Commander will be the installing officer for the Glades including South Bay, Belle Glade, Pahokee and Canal Point.

Officers for the South Bay

Post installed at this time are Commander, Eric Hartline; First Vice-Commander, Sam Finley; Second Vice-Commander, Howell T. Goodbread; Post Finance Officer, Oost Walker; Post Chaplain, W. C. Allen; Post Historian, Horace H. Walker; Post Sgt. at Arms, Charles Clifford Allen; Post Adjutant, Joseph T. O'Neil.

4-H Club Girls Entertain With Surprise Party

The 4-H Club girls at their last session at the school entertained at a surprise party in honor of the county 4-H Leader, Mrs. Mildred Michaud and John Causey, assistant county home demonstration and county agents. The Boys 4-H Club were also guests.

A joint business and program session was followed by the party. The girls served cake, candy, cookies and punch.

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Entries will be judged on the basis of originality and aptness of thought. The judges' decision will be final. No entries will be returned. Prizes, contents and ideas therein become the property of the Alfar Creamery Company. Prizes will be awarded as follows: 1st prize, \$500.00; 2nd prize, \$250.00; 3rd prize, \$100.00; 4th prize, \$50.00. 5th prize, \$25.00 each; 10 prizes of \$10.00 each; 25 prizes of \$5.00 each; 100 prizes of \$2.50 each; 1000 prizes of \$1.00 each.

Each contestant is eligible to enter as many times as he or she wishes in any one of, or each of, the three groups. Entries must be received by postmarked before midnight of May 12, 1950, and entries must be postmarked before midnight of this date. All winners will be notified by mail.

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